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ORIENTAL BANK CORPORATION.  
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At 3 months' notice 3% per annum.  
" 6 " " 4% " "  
" 12 " " 5% " "

Current accounts kept on terms which may be learnt on application.

GEO. O. SCOTT, Acting Manager.

Oriental Bank Corporation, Hongkong, September 4, 1879.

HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION.

Paid-up Capital, £5,000,000 Dollars. Reserve Fund, £1,000,000 Dollars.

COURT OF DIRECTORS.

Chairman—The Hon. W. KESWICK. Deputy Chairman—A. MOLLER, Esq.

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ON Current Deposit Account at the rate of 2 per cent. per annum on the daily balance.

For Fixed Deposits:—  
For 3 months, 3 per cent. per annum.  
" 6 " 4 per cent. " "  
" 12 " 5 per cent. " "

LOCAL BILLS DISCOUNTED.

Credits granted on approved Securities, and every description of Banking and Exchange business transacted.

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T. JACKSON, Chief Manager.

Offices of the Corporation, No. 1, Queen's Road East, Hongkong, August 16, 1880.

COMPTON D'ESCOMPTES DE PARIS.

(Incorporated 7th & 18th March, 1848.)

RECOGNISED BY THE INTERNATIONAL CONVENTION OF 30th APRIL, 1862.

CAPITAL FULLY PAID-UP, £3,200,000. RESERVE FUND, £200,000.

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AGENCIES AND BRANCHES at: LONDON, BOULOGNE, SAN FRANCISCO, Marseilles, Hongkong, Lyons, Shanghai, Hankow, NANTES, SHANGHAI, FOOCHOW, MELBOURNE.

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The Hongkong Agency receives Fixed Deposits on terms to be ascertained on application, grants Drafts and Credits on all parts of the World, and transacts every description of Banking Exchange business.

E. G. VOULEMONT, Manager, Shanghai.

Hongkong, May 20, 1879.

## Notices of Firms.

### NOTICE.

THE CO-PARTNERSHIP OF SHARP AND DANBY having been DISSOLVED by mutual consent, it is requested that all Sums Due and all Claims be sent in to Mr. Sharp for Liquidation of the firm before the 28th day of February instant.

Mr. DANBY will carry on the business of Architect, Surveyor, and Civil Engineer, under his own name.

Mr. SHARP will continue his Land and Estate Agency, under his former style of Sharp & Co. at the Office hitherto occupied by Sharp and Danby, No. 13, Queen's Road, opposite the Chartered Bank of India, Australia, and China.

GRANVILLE SHARP, WILLIAM DANBY.

Hongkong, February 1, 1881. mrl

### NOTICE.

MR. NICOLAUS AUGUST SIEBS has this day been admitted a PARTNER in our Firm at Hongkong and in China, and Mr. ALEXANDER WASSERFALL has been authorized to SIGN the Firm per Procuration.

SIEMSEN & Co.

Hongkong, January 1, 1881. ap3

### NOTICE.

MR. WILLIAM WALKINSHAW has Retired from our Firm, and his Interest and Responsibility have CEASED. The business will be carried on as heretofore by the remaining Partners, viz:—Messrs FRASER RYAN, EDWARD DARY SMITH, and ARTHUR WELLSLEY WALKINSHAW.

TURNER & Co.

Hongkong, January 1, 1881.

### TO Let.

TO LET—FURNISHED. 1, West VILLAS, CASTLE ROAD, From 1st June to 30th November next.

Apply to H. G. THOMSETT.

Hongkong, February 10, 1881. fe24

### TO LET.

N. O. S. PEDDAR'S HILL. Also. "NULAH-SIDE," Pokfulam Road, at present occupied by Mr. J. M. ARMSTRONG.

Apply to DAVID SASSOON, SONS & Co.

Hongkong, February 8, 1881.

### HONGKONG WHARF & GODOWNS.

GOODS RECEIVED ON STORAGE at Moderate Rates, in FIRST-CLASS GODOWNS, under European supervision; and VESSELS Discharged alongside the Wharf, on favourable terms, with quick despatch. Also entire GODOWNS to be let.

MEYER & Co.

Hongkong, February 1, 1881. mrl

### TO LET.

ONE MARINE LOT No. 65, FIRST-CLASS GRANITE GODOWNS.

Apply to MEYER & Co.

Hongkong, July 25, 1879.

### TO LET.

THE DWELLING HOUSE—No. 31, WELLINGTON STREET. ROOMS in SHED CHAMBERS, suitable for Office or Chambers.

THE DWELLING HOUSE, No. 46, FEEL STREET, below CHINA ROAD, possession from 1st February next.

THE BUNGALOW, No. 2, SHELLEY STREET.

Apply to DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co.

Hongkong, February 2, 1880.

### GODOWNS-TO LET.

FRATA EAST AND WANCHAI ROAD. For Particulars, apply to SIEMSEN & Co.

Hongkong, January 21, 1881.

### TO BE LET.

A large 6-ROOMED HOUSE, furnished or unfurnished, in the best neighbourhood.

Apply to "BELMONT," Chin Mail Office.

Hongkong, January 28, 1881.

## For Sale.

### LANE, CRAWFORD & Co.

HAVE RECEIVED EX "GLEN EAGLE," "GLENIFFER," &c.

WHITAKER'S ALMANACKS. NOVELS AND PICTURE BOOKS. CABINET PHOTOGRAPHS. PHOTOGRAPHIC ALBUMS.

MEERSCHAUM and BRIAR PIPES. CIGAR and CIGARETTE HOLDERS.

"AUTOMATON PATENT" UMBRELLAS.

THE LATEST SHAPES IN DRAP and BLACK FELT HATS.

FANCY SCARVES and TIES. WHITE and COLOURED KID GLOVES. COLOURED SKIN MATS. RUG-STRAPS. COURIER BAGS. PORTMANTEAUX and VALISES. DRESSING BAGS and CASES. TENNIS RATS, PRESSES and BALLS.

Hongkong, February 2, 1881.

### KELLY & WALSH

HAVE JUST RECEIVED DESCRIPTIVE ATLAS OF ANATOMY.

"Men of the Time," new edition. "The Flag of the United States." Gulliver's "Pre-historic Europe." "Handy Book of Villa Architecture." St. John's "Wild Coast of Nippon." "Food for the Dyspeptic and Gouty." Dr. KERR'S "New Guide to Canton." New STOCK OF PRESERVED FRUIT CASES, MONEY CASES, WRITING CASES, and Other LEATHER GOODS. SCRAP BOOK PICTURES. REVISED ENGLISH BIBLES. Humbert's "Manners and Customs of Japan." Postage Stamp Albums. Edin's "Chinese Buddhism." Ross's "The Manchus or the Reigning Dynasties of China." Reed's "Japan." Packer's "Rare Postage Stamps."

Hongkong, February 2, 1881.

Longfellow's, Shakespeare's, and Byron's "Birthday Books," bound plush. NEW SONGS! NEW NOVELS! NEW DANCE MUSIC! The NEW WHITEHALL STATIONERY. New Plush PHOTOGRAPH FRAMES. A large Stock of NEW PIPES. CHRISTMAS ANNUALS. Royal Ulster Linen NOTE PAPER and ENVELOPES. Real Morocco ALBUMS for unmounted Photographs. "Sweet Capital CIGARETTES." Gunther's "Study of Fishes." Church's "Stories from Herodotus." "Chinchingura," a Japanese Romance, beautifully illustrated. Henderson's "Life of an Angler." Iveson's "Horse Power Diagrams." Rice & Besant's Novels, cheap ed. Vizetelly's "Facts about Sherry, Port, Champagne, &c." Wallace's "Island Life."

Hongkong, February 2, 1881.

### Messrs SAYLE & Co.

BEGET to inform their Customers and the Public that they intend MOVING their STOCK on or about the 1st of MARCH Next to the Temporary PREMISES known as CROSSY'S STORE, adjoining Messrs LANE, CRAWFORD & Co., and directly opposite to the HONGKONG DISPENSARY, pending the Alteration and Re-building of the "VICTORIA EXCHANGE."

Previous however to the change they propose during the Next Month "FEBRUARY" to have a GRAND-CLEARANCE SALE of Old and slightly damaged STOCK, comprising:—

In the Ladies' Show Room.—A large Accumulation of REMNANTS in SILKS, DRESS STUFFS, CALICOES, LACES, RIBBONS, &c., &c. Also, a Quantity of COLLARS, CUFFS, TIES, HOSIERY, GLOVES, SCARVES, &c., &c., which will be offered at Prices considerably under Cost.

In the Tailoring and Gentlemen's Outfitting Department.—A large Lot of CLOTHS, HOSIERY, HATS, SCARVES, TIES and BOOTS, will also be offered at considerable Reductions during the Month.

In the Furnishing Department only a Discount of 10% (TEN PER CENT.) will be given on all GOODS purchased in FEBRUARY.

TERMS: CASH. SALE TO COMMENCE ON THE 1st OF FEBRUARY, 1881.

SAYLE & Co., VICTORIA EXCHANGE.

Hongkong, January 27, 1881. fe27

## Auctions.

PUBLIC AUCTION.

THE Undersigned have received instructions to sell by Public Auction, by Order of the SPANISH CONSUL, on

TUESDAY, the 15th February, 1881, at Noon, on Board, the SPANISH Schooner

"NUEVO CONSTANTE" of 217 1/2 Tons Register, built of MANILA HARDWOOD, as she now lies at anchor off Kowloon Dock.

The HULL, LOWER MASTS, and One ANCHOR and CHAIN will be SOLD in one Lot.

The SAILS, RIGGING, STORES, Etc. will be SOLD in separate Lots, as per Catalogue.

TERMS OF SALE.—Cash on the fall of the hammer. All Lots to be at Purchaser's risk on the fall of the hammer.

For further Particulars, apply to EGA DA SILVA & Co., Auctioneers.

Hongkong, February 4, 1881. fe15

## PUBLIC AUCTION.

SALE OF VALUABLE CURIOS.

THE Undersigned has received instructions from a GENTLEMAN about to leave the Colony to sell by Public Auction, on

FRIDAY, the 18th February, at 2.30 p.m., at his Sales Rooms, Peddar's Wharf Building, a Valuable Collection of

CHINESE AND JAPANESE CURIOS, consisting of:—

CHOICE ARTICLES of BLUE and WHITE PORCELAIN, IMAZU, KOTO, SATSUMA, CHINESE, CRACKLES, AKASAKA STONEWARE with Specimens of 6-coloured Wares, BRASS BOWLS, METALWARE and BRONZES.

Also, 2 Old JAPANESE SWORDS, containing Pictures, and ACCOUNTS of the DAMNED, and their REDEMPTION; and some CHOICE FISH, ETC.

Catalogues will be shortly issued, and the Articles will be on view on Thursday, the 17th Instant.

TERMS.—Cash on delivery.

G. R. LAMBERT, Auctioneer.

Hongkong, February 11, 1881. fe18

## THE "FAR EAST."

THE ISSUES OF 1878 WANTED. Apply at this Office.

Hongkong, October 6, 1880.

## For Sale.

### FOR SALE.

A GRAND PIANO, Full Size, in very good Condition, made expressly for the Climate, by Broadwood & Sons, London.

Apply to "G. P." care of Office of this Paper.

Hongkong, February 10, 1881.

### BUSINESS IN MANILA FOR SALE.

THE Proprietor of the principal EUROPEAN TAILORING ESTABLISHMENT in MANILA, (established since 1860, and situated in one of the principal thoroughfares of Manila), wishing to retire, offers his BUSINESS FOR SALE.

Applicants will please address "A. B. C., Post Restano, Manila."

Manila, February 4, 1881.

### FOR SALE.

JULES MUMM & Co.'s CHAMPAGNE. Quarts, £16 per doz. Case. Pints, £17 per doz.

GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co. Hongkong, February 2, 1880.

### Intimations.

HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Ordinary Yearly MEETING of the SHAREHOLDERS in this Corporation will be held at the CITY HALL, Hongkong, on TUESDAY, the Fifteenth day of February next, at THREE O'CLOCK p.m., for the purpose of receiving the Report of the Court of Directors, together with a Statement of Accounts to 31st December, 1880.

By Order of the Court of Directors, T. JACKSON, Chief Manager.

Hongkong, January 27, 1881. fe15

HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the REGISTERS of SHARES of the Corporation will be CLOSED from the Second to the Fifteenth February (both days inclusive), during which period no Transfer of Shares can be registered.

By Order of the Court of Directors, T. JACKSON, Chief Manager.

Hongkong, January 27, 1881. fe15

### NOTICE OF REMOVAL.

MITSU BISHI MAIL STEAMSHIP COMPANY.

ON and after the 14th Instant, the OFFICES of the above will be REMOVED to the PRAYA CENTRAL, the West Corner of Pottinger Street, opposite Messrs Gibb, Livingston & Co. Entrance from the Praya.

Hongkong, February 12, 1881.

HONGKONG HORTICULTURAL SOCIETY.

THE Ninth Annual EXHIBITION will be held in the BOTANIC GARDENS, on THURSDAY and FRIDAY, the 17th and 18th Instant. To open at Two p.m. on Friday.

Admission.—First Day, 2s; Second Day, 20 Cents.

Tickets may be obtained from Messrs LANE, CRAWFORD & Co., or Payment may be made at the Gates.

CHARLES FORD, Honorary Secretary.

Hongkong, February 10, 1881. fe18

THE CHINA FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

THE Twelfth Ordinary MEETING of SHAREHOLDERS in the Company will be held at the Company's Office, 39, Queen's Road, Victoria, at Four o'clock in the Afternoon of MONDAY, the 21st February instant, for the purpose of receiving a Statement of Accounts, and the Report of the Directors for the year ending 31st December, 1880.

The Transfer BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from the 8th to the 21st Instant, both days inclusive.

By Order, JAS. B. COUGHTRIE, Secretary.

Hongkong, February 4, 1881. fe21

### NOTIFICATION.

A COPY of the JURY LIST for 1881 is Posted at the Supreme Court House for Inspection. Notice of any INACCURACIES, OMISSIONS, OR ERRORS, &c., must be given to the REGISTRAR on or before TUESDAY, the 22nd day of February, A.D. 1881, in accordance with the Provisions of Section 8 of Ordinance No. 11 of 1864.

It is further notified that no Person whose Name is on the List as a JUROR will be excused from Service on the ground of any exemption to which he may be entitled, or on the ground of any want of qualification, unless such exemption shall have been claimed and established, or such want of qualification duly proved, at or before the time above specified.

W. H. R. MOSSOP, Acting Registrar.

Hongkong, February 8, 1881. fe22

### PARTNER WANTED.

WANTED, an experienced PARTNER, for a well-established BUSINESS, which is still increasing. Address "M." Office of this Paper.

Hongkong, January 10, 1881.

## Intimations.

HONGKONG AND CHINA BAKERY COMPANY, LIMITED.

THE Ordinary General MEETING of the SHAREHOLDERS of the above Company will be held at the Office of the GENERAL MANAGERS, on TUESDAY, the 15th February, 1881, at 4.30 p.m., for the purpose of receiving a Statement of the Accounts for the Year 1880, and Declaring a Dividend.

LANE, CRAWFORD & Co., General Managers.

Hongkong, January 25, 1881. fe15

### HOTEL DE MACAO.

THE above-named HOTEL, having been thoroughly REFURNISHED is now OPEN to the Public.

VISITORS to MACAO will find this Establishment replete with every comfort and convenience.

A. DA SILVA TELLES, Proprietor.

Macao, 15th January, 1881. fe15

### ENDERS will be RECEIVED at this Office up till Noon of SATURDAY, 26th February, 1881, for External PAINTING and COLORING of the 'STAGHORN' QUARTERS, and DECK HOUSE at the 'Royal Naval Hospital, according to Specification and Conditions, to be seen on application to the Undermanned.

The lowest or any Tender will not be necessarily accepted.

E. B. JOREY, Naval Storekeeper.

Hongkong, February 11, 1881. fe26

### THE HONGKONG FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

THE Twelfth Ordinary Annual MEETING of the SHAREHOLDERS in the Company will be held at the Office of the Company, No. 7, Queen's Road, at Three o'clock in the Afternoon of MONDAY, the 28th February instant, to receive a Statement of Accounts to the 31st December, 1880, the Report of General Managers, and to elect a Consulting Committee and Auditors.

JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., General Managers.

Hongkong Fire Insurance Co., Ltd. Hongkong, February 7, 1881. fe28

### THE HONGKONG FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE.

THE Transfer BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from the 15th to the 28th day of February instant, both days inclusive.

JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., General Managers.

Hongkong Fire Insurance Co., Ltd. Hongkong, February 7, 1881. fe28

### Shipping.

#### Steamers.

FOR AMOY. The Steamship "Diamond," Captain CUNNINGHAM, will be despatched for the above Port, on or about TUESDAY, the 15th Instant, at Noon.

For Freight or Passage, apply to BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE.

Hongkong, February 12, 1881. fe15

#### OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY.

FOR LONDON VIA SUEZ CANAL. The Co.'s Steamship "Glasgow," Captain J. R. B. will be despatched on or about the 14th Instant.

For Freight or Passage, apply to BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Agents.

Hongkong, February 9, 1881.

#### OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY.

FOR SHANGHAI VIA AMOY. (Taking Cargo &



## For Sale.

## WHERE YOU CAN BUY

Superior California LAMB'S WOOL  
BLANKETS.  
SARATOGA TRUNKS.  
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PANUS CORIUM for BOOTS.  
American AXES and HATCHETS.  
LIFE BUOYS.  
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COOPER WIRE GAUZE.  
WAFFLE IRONS.  
GLIDIRONS.  
FIRE GRATES.  
American SOFT FELT HATS.

STATIONERY  
FOR LADIES and OFFICE USE,  
the  
Best and Cheapest  
in  
Hongkong.

NEW BOOKS.  
INSTRUCTIVE and AMUSING.  
Large Assortment of  
FRENCH NOVELS.

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POPULAR EDITION OF STANDARD  
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WEINER and Sons' London-made SPORT-  
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BUSSEY'S PATENT PNEUMATIC GUN.  
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CAVITE,  
FORTIN, and  
MEYSIG  
CIGARS, and  
CHEROOTS.

All Specially Selected.  
ENGLISH and AMERICAN  
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FRESH SUPPLIES RECEIVED BY EVERY  
MAIL.

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FARM'S FAVORITE BISCUITS.  
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HUMPS.  
ROUNDS.

BRISKETS, and  
TONGUES.

California BOLL BUTTER.  
APPLE BUTTER.

OLAM CHOWDER.  
FISH CHOWDER.

Soused PIG'S FEET.  
Soused SHEEP'S TONGUES.

Pickled LAMB'S TONGUES.  
Gravy CHEESE.

New York CREAM CHEESE.  
CAVIARE.

Curried OYSTERS.  
California CRACKER Co.'s BISCUITS.

Cracked WHEAT.  
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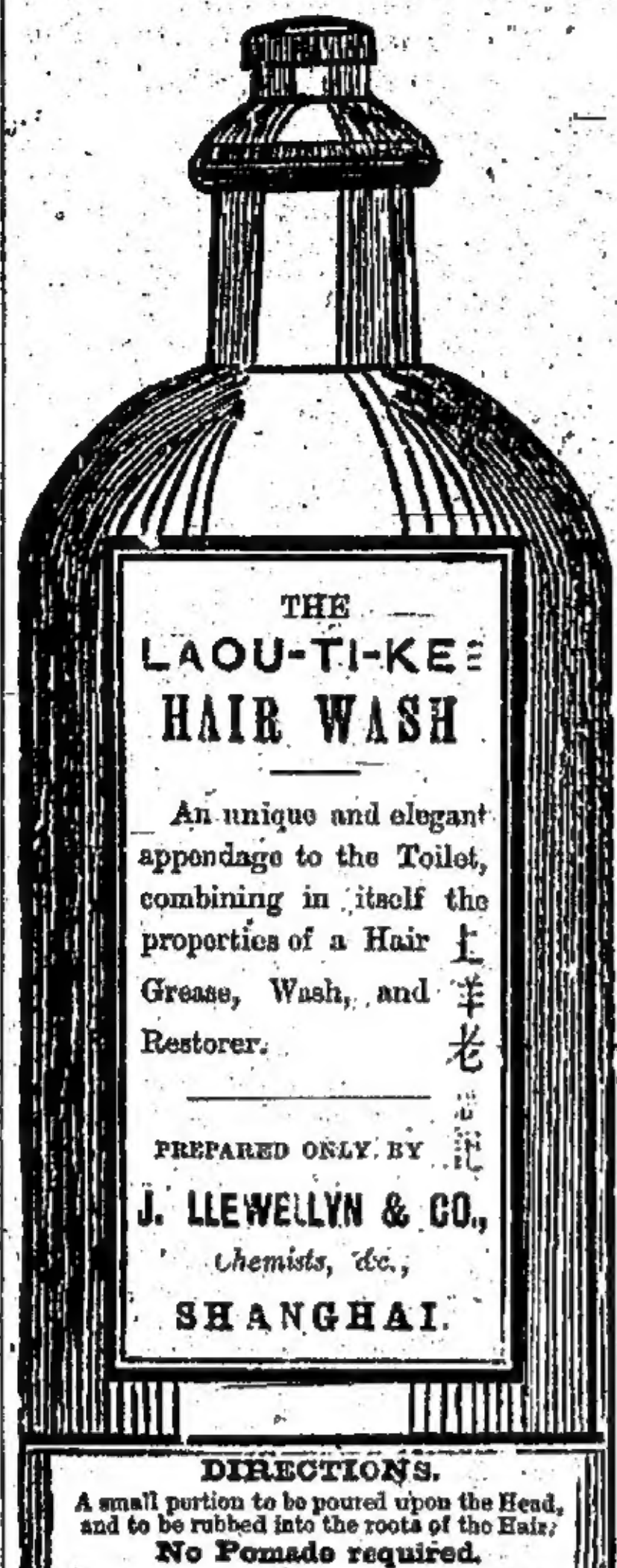
PATE DE FOIE GRAS.  
RICHARDSON and BROWN'S Potted MEATS.

Lunch TONGUE.  
PRESENT TEA in 5 and 10 Catty Boxes.

WINE and SPIRITS of all Descriptions.  
SAIL-MAKING executed on the Premises.  
MackENZIE, FRICKEL & Co.  
Hongkong, January 28, 1881.

## Intimations.

THIS HAIR WASH has been prepared  
by us for the last 20 years. It is  
steadily increasing in India, the Straits  
and Japan. It possesses all the qualities  
of a Hair Oil or Pomade without their sticki-  
ness. It induces a healthy action of the  
scalp and nourishes the Hair. Dandruff  
never appears whilst it is in use. It con-  
tains none but the best ingredients, and  
the greatest care is taken in the com-  
pounding. When the Hair falls off after  
fever or any other sickness, this Wash  
will surely prove of the greatest value.



From its great nourishing power on the  
follicles it may in time cause Hair to return  
to its natural color; it, however, does not  
contain a particle of any dyeing ingredient.  
Using it constantly will most certainly pre-  
vent the Hair falling. It is cleanly in use,  
the smallest quantity sufficing. It has no  
sediment, and therefore requires no shaking.

J. LLEWELLYN & Co.,  
Shanghai.

HONGKONG and WHAMPOA DOCK  
COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.  
THE Yearly MEETING of SHARE-  
HOLDERS will be Held in the  
OFFICES of the Company, No. 14, Praya  
Central, on TUESDAY, February 22nd, at  
11 a.m., for the purpose of receiving the  
Report of the Directors, and a Statement  
of Accounts to 31st December 1880.

The Transfer BOOKS of the Company  
will be CLOSED from the 7th to the 22nd  
Instant, inclusive.  
By Order of the Board of Directors,  
D. GILLIES,  
Secretary.

HONGKONG and WHAMPOA DOCK  
COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE is hereby given, that an Extra-  
ordinary MEETING of SHARE-  
HOLDERS will be Held at the REGISTERED  
OFFICE of the above-named Company, No.  
14, Praya Central, Victoria, Hongkong,  
on TUESDAY, the 22nd day of February,  
1881, at 11.15 in the Forenoon, for the  
purpose of passing the Special Resolution  
to Empower the Board of Directors to  
sub-divide the present SHARES of \$500 each  
of the said Company into SHARES of \$125  
each.

Dated this 5th day of February, 1881.  
By Order of the Board of Directors,  
D. GILLIES,  
Secretary.

THE CHINESE INSURANCE COM-  
PANY, (LIMITED.)

NOTICE

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Ori-  
ginal Scrip Certificate No. 2003  
for SHARES numbered 241, 311 and 869 in  
the above Company, standing in the name  
of REUBEN SOLOMON, having been  
LOST, the said Original Scrip Certificate  
has been CANCELLED and a Duplicate  
thereof issued to the Holder of the said  
Shares. No transaction taking place under  
authority of the said Original Scrip Cer-  
tificate No. 2003 will hereafter be recognized  
by the Undersigned.

By Order,  
J. BRADLEE SMITH,  
Secretary.

HONGKONG, CANTON, AND MACAO  
STEAMBOAT COMPANY,  
LIMITED.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

THE DIVIDEND at the Rate of 8%  
on the 31st December 1880, declared at the  
Ordinary Half-Yearly Meeting of Share-  
holders held this Day, will be Payable at  
the HONGKONG and SHANGHAI BANK on  
and after TUESDAY, the 1st February  
next.

Shareholders are requested to apply at  
the Office of the Company for Warrants.

By Order of the Board of Directors,  
P. A. DA COSTA,  
Secretary.

HONGKONG, January 28, 1881.

## Entertainment.

## HONGKONG CHORAL SOCIETY.

THE MEMBERS of the above SOCIETY  
will give a Repetition of SOULYAN'S  
OPERAETTE,  
H. M. S. "PINAFORE,"

at the  
THEATRE ROYAL, CITY HALL,  
On WEDNESDAY AFTERNOON  
NEXT.

the 16th Instant.

Tickets can be obtained at Messrs LANE,  
CRAWFORD & Co.'s, on Tuesday, the 15th  
Instant, at Noon.

ADMISSION:—  
To the Gallery—Adults, \$2; Children, 50  
Cents (Servants Free).  
To the Pit—The Front Seats are reserved  
for Free Tickets to various Schools.  
Book Seats, Adults, \$1 each.  
The Proceeds of the Performance will be  
given to the Temperance Hall.  
Doors open at 4 o'clock; Performance to  
commence at 4.30 p.m.

Hongkong, February 12, 1881. fo16

## Intimations.

WANTED, Employment by the ADVERTIS-  
ER. Has had several years expe-  
rience in BOOK-KEEPING and ACCOUNTS.  
Address "VERITAS," China Mail Office.

Hongkong, January 20, 1881. fo20

CARD.  
M. R. A. HAHN'S DANCING CLASSES  
have been Re-opened on the 1st  
October.

Fletcher's Buildings,  
No. 6, QUEEN'S ROAD EAST.  
Hongkong, October 4, 1880.

DENTAL NOTICE.

D. R. ROGERS has returned, and is now  
ready to RECEIVE PATIENTS at  
his Rooms, the First-floor of the premises  
lately occupied by the National Bank of  
India.

Hongkong, December 7, 1880.

DYNAMITE, FUSES, DETONATORS,  
&c.

FROM NOBEL'S EXPLOSIVES CO.,  
LIMITED, GLASGOW, can be had in  
any quantity on application to  
THE BORNEO CO., Ltd., Agents.

Hongkong, March 8, 1880. 8m81

## To-day's Advertisements.

NOTICE.

COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES  
MARITIMES.

PAQUEBOT POSTE FRANCAIS.

The Co.'s Steamship  
"Taniwa,"  
Commandant REYER,  
will be despatched for  
YOKOHAMA TO-MORROW, the 15th  
Instant, at 1 p.m.

G. DE CHAMPEAUX,  
Agent.

Hongkong, February 14, 1881. fo15

NOTICE.

COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES  
MARITIMES.

PAQUEBOT POSTE FRANCAIS.

The Co.'s Steamship  
"Yangtze,"  
Commandant CHAMPEAUX,  
will be despatched for the above  
PORT on SATURDAY, the 19th Inst., at  
4 p.m.

G. DE CHAMPEAUX,  
Agent.

Hongkong, February 14, 1881. fo15

FOR MANILA.

The Steamship  
"Diamante,"  
Captain CULLEN, will be  
despatched for the above  
PORT on SATURDAY, the 19th Inst., at  
4 p.m.

For Freight or Passage, apply to  
RUSSELL & Co.

Hongkong, February 14, 1881. fo19

NOTICE.

FOR PORT DARWIN, COOKTOWN,  
SYDNEY and MELBOURNE.

(Calling at QUEENSLAND PORTS of  
sufficient importance, and  
taking Cargo and Passengers at through  
rates for ALL AUSTRALIAN and NEW  
ZEALAND PORTS.)

The Steamship  
"Hungarian,"  
Captain WILSON, will be  
despatched as above on  
SATURDAY, the 20th Instant, at 4 p.m.

The Steamer has splendid Cabin accom-  
modation.

For Freight or Passage, apply to  
GEO. R. STEVENS & Co.

Hongkong, February 14, 1881. fo26

UNION LINE.

FOR YOKOHAMA.

The Co.'s Steamship  
"Oxfordshire,"  
Captain JONES, due here  
on SATURDAY, the 19th Inst., at 4 p.m.

Instant, will have immediate dispatch for  
the above Port.

For Freight or Passage, apply to  
RUSSELL & Co.,  
Agents.

Hongkong, February 14, 1881.

## To-day's Advertisements.

## PUBLIC AUCTION OF ORCHIDS.

LANE, CRAWFORD & Co. will Sell  
by Public Auction, in their Sale  
Room, Praya, on

WEDNESDAY,  
the 16th Instant, at Noon,

A FINE COLLECTION OF  
ORCHIDS.

Healthy and just arrived from Manila.  
Terms.—As usual.

LANE, CRAWFORD & Co.  
Hongkong, February 14, 1881. fo16

## PUBLIC AUCTION.

THE Undersigned has received instruc-  
tions, from a GENTLEMAN about to go  
Home, to sell by Public Auction, on

WEDNESDAY,  
the 16th February, 1881, at 2 o'clock p.m.,  
at his Sales Rooms, Queen's Road,—  
A Collection of Old

CHINESE and JAPANESE CURIOS,  
comprising—  
RARE OLD PORCELAIN, CHIN-CHIEU,  
SAND DE BACOT, CHU-HUNG, YAC-MING,  
OLD BRONZE, STAFF HORSES, SPOON-  
and FISH-POW, LACQUER, ENAMELLED,  
SCHOOL, ARMOUR, SWORDS, ETC., ETC.

Catalogues on Tuesday, Articles on view  
on Monday.

TERMS OF SALE.—As customary.  
J. M. ARMSTRONG,  
Auctioneer.

Hongkong, February 14, 1881. fo16

## PUBLIC AUCTION.

LANE, CRAWFORD & Co. have been  
instructed to sell by Public Auction,  
at the Kowloon Dock, on

THURSDAY,  
the 17th Instant, at 10 o'clock,—  
A Quantity of OLD TEAKWOOD,  
OLD IRON, and  
OLD WIRE RIGGING.

Off the Revenue Cutter "Ling Feng."  
TERMS.—As usual.

LANE, CRAWFORD & Co.  
Hongkong, February 14, 1881. fo17

## STEAMSHIP "YANGTSE."

COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES  
MARITIMES.

NOTICE.

CONSIGNEES of Cargo per Steamship  
"Yangtze," from London, in con-  
nection with the above Steamer, are hereby  
informed that their Cargoes are being landed  
and stored at their risk at the Company's  
Godowns, whence delivery may be obtained  
immediately after landing.

Optional Cargo will be forwarded on,  
unless intimation is received from the Con-  
signees, before 4 p.m. To-day, requesting  
it to be landed here.

Bills of Lading will be countersigned by  
the Undersigned.

Goods remaining unclaimed after Mon-  
day, the 21st Instant, at Noon, will be  
subject to rent and landing charges.

No Fire Insurance has been effected.

G. DE CHAMPEAUX,  
Agent.

Hongkong, February 14, 1881. fo21

## NOTICE.

ON the 24th Next MARCH, at 10 o'clock  
a.m., at the Residence of the  
MARINE COMMISSARIAT  
BOARD of the PHILIPPINES will MEET at  
the Commandant General's Residence in  
Manila, to Receive TENDERS for the  
SUPPLY of 900 tons of Best CARBIDE  
COAL for the Naval Station of Cavite.

Price not to exceed \$14 per ton. Ten-  
ders either for the whole 900 tons, or for  
lots of 300 tons each will be admitted.

For further Particulars, apply to  
A. MENCARINI,  
Consult for Spain.

Hongkong, February 14, 1881. fo21

## Not Responsible for Debts.

Neither the Captain, the Agents, nor  
Owners will be Responsible for  
any Debt contracted by the Officers or  
Crew of the following Vessels, during  
their stay in Hongkong Harbour:—

SOLDO, French barque, Captain Leon  
Liuvirosky.—Order.

LIVROSKY, German barque, Capt. T.  
Steffens.—Wiesler & Co.

ROSS, M. British barque, Capt. Robert  
Croll.—Edward Schellhaas & Co.

OLSON, German schooner, Captain  
Schlüter.—Simonsen & Co.

GOV, GOVINS, American ship, Captain  
William Lester.—Messageries Maritimes.

JOACHIM, CHRISTIAN, Gen. barque, Capt.  
Nickels.—Simonsen & Co.

WELLS, German steamer, Captain Mas-  
mann.—Mayer & Co.

DAHL, German barque, Captain  
H. Jäger.—Wiesler & Co.

TA, German barque, Captain O.  
Stolze.—Simonsen & Co.

## SHIPPING.

ARRIVALS.

Jan. 12, 10 p.m., Conquest, British str.,  
318, Thos. Hamlin, Haiphong Feb. 7, 3.40  
p.m., Pakhoi 2.53 p.m., and Hoilow 11  
a.m., General.—Outrigger.

Feb. 13, Carl Ritter, German barque,  
800, H. Jäger, Rajang (Borneo) Jan. 16,  
670 tons Tins.—Wiesler & Co.

Feb. 13, Ching-tung, Chinese gunboat,  
from Canton.

Feb. 13, An-tan, Chinese gunboat, from  
Canton.

Feb. 13, Samida Maru, Japanese steamer,  
826, Hubner, Yokohama Feb. 5, and  
Kobe 2, General.—M. B. M. S. Co.

## ARRIVALS.

Feb. 13, Norden, Danish steamer, 775,  
J. Ruuskaasen, Chinkiang Feb. 8, Rice—  
Stammers & Co.

Feb. 14, Diamante, British steamer, 514,  
R. P. O'Brien, Manila Feb. 11, General—  
RUSSELL & Co.

Feb. 14, Ta-Le, German barque, 342,  
C. Stolze, Sourabaya Jan. 2, Ballant—  
Stammers & Co.

Feb. 14, Yang-tai, French steamer, 2393,  
Champenois, Marcellus Jan. 9, Naples 11,  
Port Said 16, Suez 17, Aden 23, Galle 31,  
Singapore Feb. 6, and Saigon 9, Mails and  
General.—MESSAGERIES MARITIMES.

Feb. 14, Thémis, French mail-of-war,  
3800, Algier, Manila Feb. 11.

DEPARTURES.

Feb. 13, Chum-tung, Chinese gunboat, for  
a cruise.

13, Dagmar, for Tientsin.

13, Thales, for Coast Ports.

13, Whang Sing, for Canton.

13, Yung, for Canton.

14, E. M. Young, for Whampoa.

14, Kang-chi, for Hoilow, &c.

14, Tademach, for Yokohama.

14, Irawaddy, for Marcellus, &c.

CLEARED.

Wells, for Pakhoi, &c.

Yong, for Swatow.

Conquest, for Hoilow, &c.

Ping-on, for Hoilow, &c.

PASSENGERS.

ARRIVED.

Per Yang-tai, for Hongkong: from Mar-  
cellus, Mrs. Shewan, and Mrs. Muller; from  
Singapore, Messrs. Julien Marshall and ser-  
vant, and Looh Ching Hee and 6 compani-  
ons; from Saigon, Mrs. Morant and 4  
children, Sisters Paul de la Croix, Agnes  
and Borgia, Reva Roques, Bayot and La-  
hondes, and 26 Chinese.—For Shanghai:  
from Marcellus, Mr. and Mrs. Little, 2 in-  
fants and amah, Messrs. Janson, Blum,  
Quang Teh, Siem, Eason, Andrew and Gar-  
rick; from Naples, Mr. Achille Kira; from  
Port Said, Comte Souratles Gorgier and  
family; from Colombo, Mr. W. Thom-  
son; from Saigon, Mr. Wang Sio Fou.—  
For Yokohama: from Marcellus, Messrs.  
Monroe, Amano Kozio, Kirby, Emanuel  
Noyvici, Conrad, Heck; from Colombo,  
Mr. C. Duff.

Per Conquest, from Haiphong, &c., Capt.  
Duff, Chief and 2nd Mates, 4 Europeans  
and 5 Chinese seamen, of barque Conquest  
lost at Kona Choo; and 24 Chinese.

Per Samida Maru, from Yokohama, Mr.  
J. J. Carr.

Per Diamante, for Manila, Messrs. R. D.  
Tucker, R. A. Lane, C. Lozano, W. Mc G.  
Smith, R. Collard, L. Harris, D. Warren,  
and Padre Evaristo Forres, 1 European  
deck, and 60 Chinese.

Per Carl Ritter, from Rajang (Borneo),  
7 Chinese.

DEPARTED.

Per Yang-tai, for Saigon, Mr. L. Gauber,  
and 1 Chinese; for Singapore, Mr. Sanches  
del Aguila and assistant, Mr. Lyons, and 2  
Chinese; for Marcellus, Messrs. Knight,  
Dent, B. R. Mackinnon, E. H. Taylor,  
Cann, Sullivan, and Dhemini.—From  
Shanghai: for Marcellus, Mr. P. Honson.  
—From Yokohama: for Batavia, Mr. Alfred  
Brundet; for Suez, Mr. Pierre Popovitch;  
for Marcellus, Messrs. Reymers, Schraub,  
Van der Pol, Fernald, U. H. Gefanen,  
and A. van Marum.

Per Pakhoi, for Canton Ports, 130 Chinese.

Per Kang-chi, for Hoilow, &c., 40 Chi-  
nese.

TO DEPART.

Per Telemachus, for Yokohama, 2 Euro-  
peans.

Per Wells, for Pakhoi, 20 Chinese.

Per Yong, for Swatow, 70 Chinese.

Per Conquest, for Hoilow, &c., 30 Chi-  
nese.

Per Ping-on, for Haiphong, &c., 10 Chi-  
nese.







### Merchant Vessels in Hongkong Harbour.

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